

auktion

1. [ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n] n

1) аукцион, торги
 auction sale - продажа с аукциона
 auction mart /room/ - аукционный зал
 to sell by auction, to put up to auction, **амер.** to sell /to put up/ at auction - продавать с аукциона

2) **pl** аукционные продажи

2. = auction bridge

◇ Dutch auction - «голландский аукцион» (*публичная продажа, при которой аукционист постепенно снижает объявленную цену, пока не найдётся покупатель*)
 all over the auction - **австрал.** везде, повсюду

2. [ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n] v

продавать с аукциона, продавать с молотка (**мж.** auction off)
 when the artist died his family auctioned his paintings - когда художник умер, семья продала его картины с аукциона
 to auction off one's furniture - пустить с молотка мебель

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auktion [auktion auksions auktsioned auktsioning] **noun, verb** BrE [ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n]ⁿ

BrE [ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n]ⁿ NAmE [ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n]ⁿ

noun countable, uncountable

a public event at which things are sold to the person who offers the most money for them

- an auction of paintings
- The house is **up for auction** (= will be sold at an ↑**auktion**).
- A classic Rolls-Royce fetched (= was sold for) £25 000 **at auktion**.
- an Internet **auktion** site

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: from Latin **auctio(n-)** 'increase, **auktion**', from the verb **augere** 'to increase'.

Example Bank:

- I try to buy furniture at auctions because it is cheaper that way.
- In a reverse auction, the price is driven steadily down.
- My father will be conducting the auction tomorrow.
- The estate is holding an auction to raise money.
- The goods were put up for sale by auction.
- The horse will be put up for public auction.
- The house was sold at auction for half a million pounds.
- The paintings will come up for auction next month.
- a bargain that she had picked up at auction
- a jumble sale by auction

Derived ↑**auktion something off**

verb usually passive ~ sth

to sell sth at an ↑**auktion**

- The costumes from the movie are to be auctioned for charity.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	auktion
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	BrE /ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n/
	NAmE /ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n/
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	NAmE /ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)n/
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	NAmE /ˈɔ:kʃ(ə)nɪd/
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[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: auctio 'increase', from augere (⇒ ↑**augment**); because the money offered increases]

a public meeting where land, buildings, paintings etc are sold to the person who offers the most money for them

at auktsion

* The house was sold at auktsion.

put something up for auction (=try to sell something at an auction)

This week 14 of his paintings were put up for auction.

auction house (=a company that arranges auctions)

II. auction² BrE² AmE² (also auction off) verb [transitive]

to sell something at an auction

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